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Report of the Fifth Committee

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1. The previous recommendation made by the Fifth Committee to the General Assembly under agenda item 17 (b) appears in the report of the Committee contained in document A/59/583.

2. At its 56th meeting, on 1 June 2005, the Fifth Committee considered a note by the Secretary-General (A/59/102/Add.2) concerning a vacancy in the membership of the Committee on Contributions as a result of the resignation of Alvaro Gurgel de Alencar Netto (Brazil). The Fifth Committee also considered a note by the Secretary-General (A/C.5/59/6/Add.2) that informed the General Assembly of the nomination by the Government of Brazil of Henrique da Silveira Sardinha Pinto (Brazil) also endorsed by the Group of Latin American and Caribbean States, to fill the remainder of the term of office of Mr. Gurgel de Alencar Netto, which expires on 31 December 2005.

3. At the same meeting, the Committee decided, by acclamation, to recommend to the General Assembly that it appoint Henrique da Silveira Sardinha Pinto (Brazil) as a member of the Committee on Contributions for a term of office beginning on _____ 2005[1] and ending on 31 December 2005.

Recommendation of the Fifth Committee

4. The Fifth Committee recommends that the General Assembly appoint Henrique da Silveira Sardinha Pinto (Brazil) as a member of the Committee on Contributions for a term of office beginning on _____ 2005[1] and ending on 31 December 2005.

[1] Date of adoption of the decision by the General Assembly.

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